## HOUSE BILL 2355 By McMillan

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 47, Chapter 18 relative to consumer affairs.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 47-18-106(a)(1), is hereby amended by deleting the current language in its entirety and substituting the following language:

Require the person to file, within ten (10) days from the date of issuance of the request for information, a statement or report in writing, under oath or otherwise, as to all the facts and circumstances concerning the alleged violation and at the same time to furnish and make available for examination whatever documentary material and information are relevant to the subject matter of the investigation;

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 47-18-122, is hereby amended by deleting the current language in its entirety and substituting the following language:

For the purpose of application of the Tennessee Consumer Protection Act, compiled in this part, any violation of the provisions of all other parts of this chapter shall be construed to constitute an unfair or deceptive act or practice affecting the conduct of any trade or commerce and subject to the penalties and remedies as provided by the act.

SECTION 3. This Act shall become effective July 1, 2005, the public welfare requiring it.